

Small Group Discussion Questions
July 5, 2026

Numbers 12:1-10, 13
2 Corinthians 13

1. Think of a person in your own life, someone who told you the truth about yourself when you didn't want to hear it. What did it cost you to actually take it in instead of staying defensive? And is there someone in your life right now who needs you to be that for them, even though it'll be uncomfortable and you'd rather not?
2. Jesus had "twelve legions of angels" available to him, and Paul had the position of apostle — real power they chose not to use. Where in your life do you have power (as a parent, a boss, in a relationship, in this church) that you're tempted to use the world's way (winning, being right, dominating) instead of Christ's way? What would it look like to hold that power the way Paul held his?
3. The text differentiates between weakness that's forced on you and weakness that's chosen out of love. Where are you currently just enduring something versus actually choosing it for the sake of building someone up? Is there a difference in how it feels?
4. Paul ends by handing the relationship back to God instead of staying in the judge's seat. Is there a relationship or situation where you are still holding onto the role of judge and waiting for vindication, when what's actually needed is for you to bless it and let go?